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SOUTHERN DUCTILE CASTING COMPANY,
GRINDING & SHIPPING
2217 Carolina Avenue
Bessemer
Jefferson County
Alabama

HAER No. AL-125-F

- AL-125-F-1 GRINDING ROOM AT SOUTHERN DUCTILE CASTING COMPANY,
BESSEMER FOUNDRY SHOWING WHEEL LABORATOR THAT IMPALE
SHOT AT TUMBLING CASTINGS TO REMOVE EXCESS SURFACE
METALS AND SAND; ANNEALING OVENS TO HEAT CERTAIN
CASTINGS TO ACHIEVE A DESIRED CHARACTERISTIC; AND
GRINDING WHEELS USED TO REMOVE GATES.
- AL-125-F-2 JOHN JAMES AND RONNIE DENNIS GRINDING THE INTERIOR
OF A CAST SPACE.
- AL-125-F-3 FINISHED CASTINGS ARE ONLY GROUND BEFORE THEY ARE
SHIPPED TO CUSTOMERS WHO COMPLETE THE FINISHING IN
THEIR OWN MACHINE SHOPS.